



State of Arizona
Department of Education

Tom Horne
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On behalf of the Arizona Department of Education, Exceptional Student Services, the Arizona Department of Economic Security, Rehabilitation Services Administration and other sponsoring agencies, you are invited to exhibit your products, materials, strategies, and ideas at Arizona's Eighth Annual Transition Conference, "*Transforming Visions to Realities*," which will be held on September 22 and 23, 2008 at the Radisson Fort McDowell Resort, 10438 N. Fort McDowell Road, Scottsdale/Fountain Hills, Arizona, 85264.

This year's event is a continuation of the successful conferences offered over the past seven years. We expect approximately 750 participants, representing a wealth of professional and dedicated special and general educators, administrators, higher education disability resource coordinators, adult service agency providers and transition-aged youth and young adults. Family members will also be participating.

The registration deadline is June 6, 2008. Please complete the attached Vendor/Exhibitor Application Form and submit it to Jeannette Zemeida via email at Jeannette.Zemeida@azed.gov; fax to 602-542-5404; or send via regular mail to Jeannette Zemeida, ADE/ESS, 1535 West Jefferson Street, Bin 24, Phoenix, AZ 85007 no later than June 6, 2008.

Please consider an additional opportunity to support youth/family participation through sponsorship, and/or make a door prize donation. Information is contained in the attached Vendor/Exhibitor Application.

Join us in disseminating educational resources to the professional education community of Arizona. We salute all the individuals working with and providing services and materials to Arizona's youth and young adults with disabilities. We look forward to working with you this year and for years to come.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please contact me at (602) 364-4004 or via email at Alissa.Trollinger@azed.gov.

Sincerely,

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